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G.O. No. 2839

Dated 14th October 1947.

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No.33/14/47-Poll (E)-II.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
Ministry of Home Affairs.

From

Sardar Sahib Fateh Singh, B.A.,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of India

To,

All the Provincial Governments and Chief Commissioner,
Ajmer-Merwara; Panthpipleda; Coorg; Delhi,
Andaman & Nicobar Islands

New Delhi (3), the 18th September 1947.

Sub: Naturalisation of aliens.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Home Department letter No.32/47/47-Poll (E)., dated the Ist March 1947, conveying the decision of the Government of India to suspend naturalisation as British subjects of aliens in India, and to say that this decision does not preclude the aliens who have resided in India from applying to the Government of any other part of the British Commonwealth to which they may go or from having their period of residence, in India counted towards the period of residence, in His Majesty's dominions necessary to qualify for naturalisation as British subjects. It is likely that many of the aliens, who cannot now in view of the decision referred to above obtain in India certificates of naturalisation as British subjects, will seek to obtain such certificates in some other part of the British Commonwealth. The Government of India therefore consider that it will facilitate their naturalisation in other parts of the British Commonwealth if they have got some proof of their character

and residence in India. I am, therefore, to suggest that if the Provincial Government/you have no objection a certificat of character and of residence in India may be granted to deserving aliens of this type on application. In doubtful cases, the matter may be referred to the Government of India.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.
S. S. Fateh Singh,
Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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p.t.o.

Government of Madras

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G.O.Ms.No.3839, Dated 14th October 1947
Read the following:--

G.O.Ms.No.1036 Home, dated 15th March 1947
From the Government of India, No.33/14/47 Poll.(E)-II, dated 18th September 1947.

Order:

Communicated to all District Magistrates and the Commissioner of Police.

2. The applications for certificates of character and of residence should be submitted to the Government with the recommendation of the District Magistrate or the Commissioner of Police, as the case may be, together with a report from the C.I.D.

(By Order of His Excellency the Governor)

Sd/ ** **
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To all District Magistrates
To the Commissioner of Police
To the Deputy Inspector-General of Police (Railways & C.I.D.), Madras.

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Office Assistant,
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